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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, Filing Date Granted.

Please charge any additional fees due in connection with this matter, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

If there are any questions, please call the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed February 8, 2002, Applicant submits the following documents for filing in the above-referenced patent application:

1. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, mailed February 8, 2002;
2. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
3. Certificate of Mailing; and
4. Return postcard.

The surcharge fee of \$65.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. Please also charge any additional fees which might be due to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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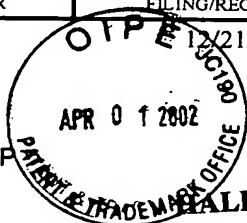


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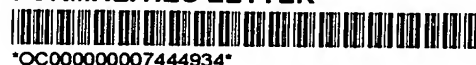
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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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